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PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1897.

TEN CENTS A WEEK.

DR. HUNTER.

His Election Now Believed to be
Certain.

BRADLEY COMBINE A FAILURE.

Removal of the Intended Resignation of Governor Bradley
Revived.

EMERY CHARGES TO BE INVESTIGATED

Frankfort, March 22.—All indications now point to the certain election of Dr. Hunter, and faith in his easy success is gaining ground everywhere. The House this forenoon passed a resolution to investigate the charges of bribery that have been made.

CAUTIONS TONIGHT.

The Members Getting Ready to
Vote Tomorrow.

Frankfort, March 22.—(Caucuses) will be held tonight by the Hunter supporters and the other factions of the legislature. Dr. Hunter claims he will be an easy winner. The combine in favor of Governor Bradley is said to be working hard, but it is not believed it can win. The silverites are saying nothing.

OLD RUMOR REVIVED

Said Governor Bradley Will Re-
sign and Has So Expressed
Himself.

Frankfort, March 22.—The rumor of Governor Bradley's intended resignation is again current. It is said that the governor expressed such an intention this morning.

ST. NABARIE, ST. NABARIE.

Another Boat Flashed In Contain-
ing Six Dead Bodies.

New York, March 22.—Another light of the St. Nabarie was found this morning. It contained six dead bodies, which had apparently been dead some days. Everything indicated that death came from starvation and exposure, after terrible suffering.

LOUISVILLE CHAIR COMPANY

Fails, With Liabilities Amounting
to \$60,000 or More.

Louisville, March 22.—Quite a stir in business circles was caused today by the announcement that the Louisville Chair Company had made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities will foot up more than \$60,000. Slow collections are given as the cause of the failure.

CYCLONE IN GEORGIA.

School House Demolished, Eight
Children Killed.

Arlington, Ga., March 22.—The school house here was blown down by a cyclone this morning during the session of school and eight children were killed outright and a number of others seriously injured. Though full particulars from other sections are not at hand, it is known that heavy damage was suffered elsewhere in this county.

THE DINGLEY BILL.

Mr. Dingley Addressing Congress
on the Tariff Today.

Washington, March 22.—Mr. Dingley, of Maine, chairman of the Ways and Means committee, is this afternoon addressing the house on the proposed new tariff bill. He will be followed by Congressman Bailey, of Texas, in opposition.

MANY BREAKS

In the Levee Above Memphis
Cause Great Alarm.

Memphis, March 22.—Although there has been a slight fall here in many weeks, the Mississippi river is reported to be breaking in several places in the levee. It is feared the inundation will take the people unaware and that many may be unable to escape. That there will be immense loss of property there is not the smallest doubt.

FALLING AT MEMPHIS

Great Damage Anticipated From
New Breaks in the Levee.

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Several breaks in the levee are known to have occurred between Osceola, Ark., and Memphis, and the fall of the river here is attributed to these crevasses. The break at

House Bend is widening, and the mad rush of the water through the opening can be heard for miles. Three additional breaks, all near House Bend, are reported today, and the suffering of the people in Eastern Arkansas will surely be greatly intensified.

\$100,000 FIRE.

The Gully Block Burned in Law-
rence, Mass.

Lawrence, Mass., March 22.—Fire broke out in the Gully Block in this city this morning and before the fire department reached the scene had gained such headway as to render it impossible to save the block which was destroyed, containing a loss of \$100,000. Eight persons were seriously injured by falling walls.

THE WAY THEY HARMONIZE.

Senator Stephenson's Account of
the Sound Money Caucus.

In an interview Senator W. W. Stephenson spoke at length on the attitude of the sound money Democrats at Frankfort. He said:

On Friday night before the convening of the legislature thirteen of the National Democrats met at a room at the Capital Hotel and organized by electing a chairman. The National Democrats were fully discussed at this meeting, and it was unanimously agreed that they would not be a party to any revolutionary proceedings, but, on the contrary, actuated only by a sense of right and justice, that they would facilitate the business of the session as much as possible. It was proposed at that meeting that the National Democrats should nominate and vote for a candidate for United States senator who represented their views. This proposition met with general approval at that meeting, only one or two objecting to this course. As it was not a full meeting no action was taken, and the meeting was adjourned till Monday night. At this meeting on Monday a proposition was made that the National Democrats unite with the free silver Democrats and some Republicans to defeat Dr. Hunter and elect Governor Bradley to the Senate. This proposition was strongly opposed, but as several members were away attending the federal services of Senator Sawyer it was agreed that action on the proposition should be postponed till the next meeting. Just before adjournment I proposed to the meeting that if they did not adopt this proposition, which seemed evident from the expressions given, that we as National Democrats, vote solidly for Hon. George M. Davis for United States Senator. The only objection to this proposition came from the Senator from Woodford—Hon. H. L. Martin—who had suggested and advocated the other proposition. He pointed out that he would not be bound by a nomination of the National Democrats. With this exception the proposition to vote for Mr. Davis was agreed to in this informal way about taking a regular vote, and the meeting was adjourned till Thursday evening.

The proposition to vote for Gov. Bradley was fully discussed, but as we did not have a full meeting no vote was taken. The meeting was adjourned to meet again upon call of election. If a vote had been taken the majority would have been against the proposition. I have been against the proposition from the time it was first mentioned. I could not see how the National Democrats and free silver Democrats could be harmonized by agreeing to vote for a candidate with whom they differed on the most vital question. It seemed to me that the National Democrats, who had made such great sacrifices for principle, and everything to lose and nothing to gain.

When I left Frankfort on Friday afternoon a good majority of the National Democrats were against this proposition. On that day Senators Joseph Noe, J. H. Holloway, W. B. Hayward, and representatives J. C. Lykins, M. C. Swinford, J. A. Violand and A. J. Carroll had expressed their opposition to it. Messrs. Stout, Baird and Norman are strongly opposed to that proposition. When I left I was satisfied that there were thirteen out of seventeen sound money Democrats who would vote against the proposition. I believe the great majority of sound money Democrats will vote for the Hon. George M. Davis.

List of Patents.
The following patents were granted Kentucky and Tennessee inventors this week as reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite United States patent office, Washington, D. C.:

J. W. Buford, Jr., Jackson, Tenn., car brake; C. J. Gustafson, Chattanooga, Tenn., steam or water throttle valve; J. H. Hays, Nashville, Tenn., mechanism for propelling vessels; W. S. Nash, Knoxville, Tenn., lock; J. P. Pierce, Elizabethton, Tenn., dip coffee pot; S. Rombley, Memphis, Tenn., exhaust fan; A. B. Rine, Harrodsburg, Ky., reinguard attachment for shafts.

The river is today fifty feet on the edge, and still rising slowly. This has been a typical spring day, and river men were somewhat encouraged over the prospect. They all agree that at least another foot may be expected, without any more rain. With more rain, however, the outcome cannot be accurately forecast. The rise in the last twenty-four hours was six inches or more. There was a slight rainfall this morning before daylight. Yesterday the crowd of sight-seers was larger than the preceding Sunday. All the buggies as well as all the skiffs in the city were pressed into service, and in addition to these there were scores of visitors from other cities. Since Saturday the Memphis freight trains on the P. C. have been cancelled, but the passengers continue to go as far as Wolfe river. There is now about six inches of a foot of water over the N. C. & St. L. road in the city. The water is almost over the Illinois Central tracks in the freight yards here. The small rise of last night and today spread over a remarkably large territory, and now Jefferson and Second cannot be crossed except by boat. Workmen have been busily engaged all day and last night removing tobacco from the river front warehouses to a place of safety. Owen Bros. have moved a large portion of their corn from the island opposite the city, loading it into a barge. The water has now crawled up to the gutters on lower Court to the gutters. Up on Second street there is now quite a lake, and in the West and Southern suburbs the water has covered many streets that were above water yesterday. With all the water there is here, however, only eight of the city's electric lights were under water this morning. By tonight, however, there may be a change. The stages of the river today are: Chattanooga, 33.3 rise of 3.7; Cincinnati, 37.5 fall of 2.7; Evansville, 39.9 fall of 6; Florence, 27.5 fall of 3.6; Johnsonville, 46.2 rise of 2.5; Louisville, 15.9 fall of 3.1; Mt. Carmel, 21.1 fall of 1.5; Nashville, 47.5 fall of 1.4; Pittsburgh, 12.1 fall of 8; St. Louis, 18.7 rise of 7; St. Paul, 50 rise of 4. The rise today has been about 1 here.

A severe thunder storm, accompanied by heavy wind, passed over the city about 3 o'clock this morning, but did little or no damage, although it aroused a great many people from their slumbers. On the river it was more forceful than on land and for a time waves were very high. A buter of Brooklyn who started to French to replenish his stock of meat had his skiff almost swamped in the gale, but contrived to obtain temporary shelter in a house half submerged in water on the other side of the river. According to his statement the wind blew steadily from the south and banked the clouds up in the northwest, suddenly reversing and coming up the river in uncontrolled fury. Quite a number of citizens were badly frightened by the blow.

Mr. O. J. Wiley, of Pineknobville, Livingston county, was in the city yesterday and reports great damage up near his home. His big tobacco warehouse is under water, and the rise is almost equal to the one of 1894.

SLOWLY IT COMES

The Mighty Ohio is Now Fifty
Feet Here.

A FOOT MORE IS EXPECTED.

Many of the Streets Now Sub-
merged at Both Ends—
Flood Notes.

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SOCIAL PURITY.

This Will Probably Soon Be
Agitated.

NO LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE.

Important Meeting at the Y. M.
C. A. Hall Yesterday
Afternoon.

THE MEMBERSHIP CONTEST NAMES.

There was a meeting of the fathers at the Y. M. C. A. hall yesterday afternoon, and some of the most prominent and influential business men in the city were present.

The meeting was held for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee on social purity, appointed some time since to formulate definite plans regarding the work.

The report was presented and adopted in part if not in whole. It is probable that in a few days an educational bureau on social purity will be established, but this will likely be the extent to which it is to be carried.

It will not be conducted on the aggressive policy of law and order leagues which have in the past sustained an ephemeral career. Yesterday afternoon it was suggested at the meeting that a legal move be made forthwith to quash all the badly housed in Paducah, but this was straightway squelched as infeasible and imprudent.

Developments in the educational bureau may be expected in the near future.

It has been practically settled that within a week there will be a concerted action on the part of prominent business men to inaugurate a policy of baselball on Sunday here. This information was obtained from a reliable source today and those who are at the lack of the move claim that it will be a success. It has never, however, been given out that any attempt will be made to play baselball in Paducah on Sunday.

Tonight a meeting will be held at the Young Men's Christian association for the purpose of completing arrangements for the membership contest. Captains and colors will be chosen, and the remaining members be chosen by the respective sides. The names and colors have not been selected, but it is very probable that these will be the "Black Cat" and the "Yellow Kid," after the buttons now in vogue.

The result of the contest is to be the establishment of a bowling alley and a trophy, to contain the ten names of the members of the winning side who obtained the largest number of members. There will be great interest manifested in the contest.

The Ministerial Association met at the Y. M. C. A. hall this morning and enjoyed a paper on "Church Government," by Rev. H. L. Carlson, of the Ninth street Christian church.

CUBANS SURE TO WIN

Observations of Dr. Thomas later-
ly returned to Cuba.

Baltimore, Md., March 22.—Dr. C. M. Thomas, of Milwaukee, was in Baltimore as a representative of the Cuban League of the United States, to arrange a mass meeting of Cuban sympathizers. Dr. Thomas is a graduate of the University of Maryland, and spent a month last November and December in Cuba studying the condition of affairs. With his headquarters at Havana, he made three trips into the interior, on one of them through the trocha, being closely spied upon by two Spaniards. He was at Mariel on December 3, the day before Maceo was killed there.

The Cuban cause will win. It will be won in a year before the revolutionists are finally on independent, but they will win in the end, I firmly believe," said Dr. Thomas. "The suffering among the Spanish soldiers is terrible. At Mariel I saw six, eight and ten of them lying in hammocks dying with yellow fever or smallpox. The Spanish authorities admit that they have 15,000 soldiers sick, but I estimate that there are at least 25,000. These poor soldiers do not receive the medical aid which they ought to have from the Spanish doctors, and the death rate among them is great. Why do I believe the Cubans will ultimately win? Because Spain thus far has done nothing toward subduing the revolution, although she has had in the island a force of 250,000 men. The Cubans are pursuing the policy of wearing out the Spanish force, and that policy is going to prevail in the end. It costs Spain \$200,000 daily to keep her force in Cuba, and she is on the verge of financial ruin. In time she will have

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BAILEY,

THE HATTER

HAS RECEIVED HIS
Spring Stock

OF—
Hats and Furnishing Goods.

327 BROADWAY.

yield to such pressure. The Cubans need not fight great battles. Disease is doing more to kill the Spaniards than they can do. The Cubans don't want American soldiers. If they had arms and ammunition they could put 40,000 more men in the field from their own numbers. What they need is supplies of the munitions of war.

Since his return to this country Dr. Thomas has been in many of the large cities arranging mass meetings similar to the one he is trying to arrange here.

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MARKETS.

Chicago, Ill., March 22.—May wheat opened at 73-74, highest point 77-78; closed at 72-73.

May corn opened at 24-25, highest point 27-28; closed at 24-25.

May oats opened at 17-18, highest point 19-20; closed at 17-18.

May pork opened at \$8.80-8.90, highest point \$9.00; closed at \$8.80-8.90.

May lard opened at \$9.25-9.35, highest point \$9.40; closed at \$9.25-9.35.

May ribs opened at \$1.80-1.90, highest point \$1.95; closed at \$1.80-1.90.

May beef opened at \$7.05-7.15, highest point \$7.20; closed at \$7.05-7.15.

Clearances, 138,000.

S. W. receipts 134 cars.

Grain decrease in wheat, 1,013,000 bushels.

Visible decrease in grain 718,000 bushels.

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W. J. Dicke,
425 Broadway.

WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, March 22.—Local thunder storms this afternoon and tonight. Tuesday, fair and colder.

LOCAL MENTION.

An efficacious remedy for lung affections, throat disorders and all bronchial troubles is found in Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This medicine has made many marvelous cures and is justly ranked among the most important remedies of the age.

For sale by
Oetzel, Langer & Walker.

Mayfield Crowd Here.

Yesterday afternoon a crowd consisting of two car loads of people from Mayfield and other points in the county came on the afternoon train and returned at 6 o'clock.

For Boys and Girls Only.

We have just received a fresh lot of Ox-Blood and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SON.

Fell From His Bike.

Mr. J. L. Kilgore, the well known manufacturer, was painfully injured by a fall from his bicycle yesterday. He is greatly improved today, however, and was out attending to business.

Just tell them that you saw this, and that we have just received a lot of those handsome Ox-Blood and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SON.

Small Blaze Saturday.

Saturday evening at 6:30 the fire department was called out to extinguish a small blaze at the house of Melvin Thompson, colored, 630 Campbell street. The fire started from the kitchen stove and destroyed much of the kitchen.

Diehl's Land and a Half Sale.

Broadway.

A Nice Position.

Mr. Lawrence W. Copeland, of Massac county, has received a nice position at the bank of the adjutant general of Illinois, having been appointed custodian of Memorial Hall at Springfield. Mr. Copeland is a worthy recipient of the honor, having done valuable service for the cause of Republicanism in Massac.

For Boys and Girls Only.

We have just received a fresh lot of Ox-Blood and Middy leather caps. Price 50c. B. WELLS & SON.

A Musical.

The Pastors' Aid Society of the First Baptist church is arranging for a musical to be given next Thursday evening. The place and program will be published later. Watch for the announcement.

Wanted to Buy.

Second-hand shoes of all kinds. 13m-14. Broadway, 213 Court.

Home Beef.

If you want nice home beef, buy from a home butcher, whose name and reputation is a guarantee that the quality of his meat is all right. John Theobald's is all right. He has the best beef in the city. Stalls 3 and 5, market house. 6m-3.

Be There.

Every public spirited citizen of Paducah should be present at the meeting at the city hall this evening to take action with reference to false reports of Paducah's damage from the flood. Much injury has been done the city by the reports, and the error should be corrected as quickly and thoroughly as possible.

SICK HEADACHE
Can be promptly cured by taking McHERSON'S Cherry Headache Powder. The well known soothing properties of the cherry plant, combined with other remedies of a similar nature is an infallible cure for all kinds of headache and neuralgia. Money refunded if cure is not effected. Sold exclusively at
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PERSONALS.

Z. T. Long, of Mayfield, was here yesterday.

Al. Curd, of Mayfield, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Frank Beard and wife left at noon for St. Louis.

Mr. Sam Carrico, of Mayfield, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Julius Rothchild, of Louisville, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Joe Rothchild left today on a three months' trip up the river.

Miss Lizzie Alliston has returned from a visit to Gertrude, Tex.

Mr. Marvin Wright and wife, of Mayfield, visited in the city yesterday.

Richard Yeltema and Uncle Billy returned this morning from Princeton.

Editor Sydney Scott, of the "Fultonian-Democrat," was in the city yesterday.

Miss Harriet left this morning for Louisville, after a visit to Mrs. Geo. Langstaff, Jr.

Attorney B. T. Lightfoot left at noon for Marion, Ill., to defend Brown and Bruner, the Metropolis bankers.

Mrs. F. E. Thomas, of Dyersburg, who has been here on a visit to Mrs. W. B. Mather and Mrs. J. L. Webb, left at noon for St. Louis.

Mr. Herman Boswell, who has been in Louisville and Cincinnati for the past eight months, passed through the city today en route to his home in Mayfield.

Rev. M. E. Chappell, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, left at noon for Mayfield to attend the Mayfield presbytery, which convenes today and lasts until Friday.

LAID TO REST.

Funeral of Mrs. Barbara Muller, an Old Resident.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Barbara Muller took place from the St. Francis De Sales church at 10 o'clock this morning. Burial at St. Carmel.

The deceased died suddenly Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock of a congestive chill at her home, 818 Washington street. Ten years ago almost to the day, her husband died in the same bed in the same room of the same ailment at the same hour, after being ill the same length of time, about three hours. The deceased was a native of Germany, and had lived in Paducah since before the war.

She left two daughters, Mrs. J. F. Schraffen, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Ferns Kierck, of Kansas City. Mr. Thomas, Mrs. Joseph Miller, of Louisville, Col., and W. H. and John Muller, also survive their mother.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Emma Rehkopf Files Suit Here.

Mrs. Emma Rehkopf has filed suit in the circuit court here against her husband, Mr. Henry Rehkopf, for divorce, alleging that her husband's conduct indicates a settled aversion, etc.

Mrs. Rehkopf is now visiting in Tennessee, and an effort to compromise the case failed. The case will come up at the next term of court. Mrs. Rehkopf was formerly a Miss Tollins.

TOO MUCH RECKLESSNESS.

Of Children Playing About the Back Water.

Yesterday afternoon a small boy whose name could not be learned fell from a raft in the back water between Seventh and Eighth on Illinois street, and came near being drowned.

There is too much recklessness in playing about the water, which is very deep in some places, and the wonder is that some one has not been drowned already.

THE PAY TRAIN.

Will Arrive in Paducah Next Wednesday.

Assistant Paymaster Rowell passed through from the St. Louis division on the pay train Saturday night, and will leave Louisville tomorrow morning, paying off to Beaver Dam on Tuesday. It will on Wednesday pay off from Beaver Dam to Paducah.

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The entire stock of Shoes, Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats, Jewelry, Furniture and Carpets of the Louisville Department Store was purchased at SHERIFF'S SALE at a very low price and we are prepared to sell you these goods at less than manufacturer's prices. Come early and secure bargains before they are gone. Remember the place,
PADUCAH AUCTION & STORAGE CO.
Corner Third and Court.

BUSY SESSION.

John McGeehe Fined \$100 and Costs.

JOHN WHIPPED HIS WIFE.

A Lunatic Gets Off From a Charge of Fighting.

A RESUME OF THE POLICE COURT.

Judge Sanders had a large docket this morning, and the police court room was crowded. Several large placards bearing the words "No one but officers and attorneys allowed inside the railing," have been hung around the room, but little or no heed is paid to them, and the enclosure is daily filled with idle sight seers. If they were ordered out once or twice they would soon realize that they are not wanted.

George Meadows and Joe Meadows were arraigned on a charge of fighting. "I have been in the asylum two years, your honor," said Meadows, "and don't recollect anything about what happened."

Further questioning developed the fact that he lives at Hopkinsville and was in the asylum for two years, although he was released last April. He has been working at Fulton.

The other man is a cigar maker, and a cripple. He said that he met Meadows and the latter asked him for money to get a hotel. He replied that he had no money, but would take him around to his boarding house. On their way Meadows tried to murder Meadows and was pushed away. He was so drunk that he fell.

The evidence being heard, Judge Sanders gave the culprit the benefit of the doubt and dismissed the case.

Will Grant and Hale Gosselt, colored, were fined \$20 and costs for immorality in the police court.

Duke Blackwell, an aged and well known resident of Livingston county, was before the court charged with drunkenness. Judge Sanders said he had known the defendant for years, and that he was a good, hard-working man until he became drunk. Although it is a hard matter for Judge Sanders to let a man from his native county, he had to assess the case at \$1 and costs.

John Lovelace, for a similar offense, was fined a similar amount.

Mr. Ed Morgan, the well known liverman, was arraigned with a threatening language towards Mrs. Sophronia Bowles. The difficulty arose over the placing of a horse in a stable claimed by Mrs. Bowles, and the warrant was dismissed.

Zeno Williams, colored, was fined \$5 and costs for jumping on and off a street car.

John McGeehe, colored, who came near killing his wife, Amanda McGeehe, several nights ago because he said he caught her with another man, was tried in Judge Sanders' court today and fined \$100 and costs for the offense. Both McGeehe and his wife were served terms in the penitentiary.

Linda Lloyd, Lena Fowler and Lou Lloyd, colored ladies, were brought before Judge Sanders this morning on a charge of a mutual fight. They were all fined \$1 and costs.

BOOTH FELL OUT.

Damp Experiences of Col. R. G. Caldwell Today.

Mr. R. G. Caldwell, of the Paducah Building Trust Co., and son, Mike, were treated to a damp ducking this morning. Mr. Caldwell resides on the old Boyd place, near Broadway, and is entirely surrounded by water. He reached Broadway by means of a skiff, and it's morning soon after he and his son got in the boat was capsized, and they were left in several feet of water. Each accused the other of having caused the accident.

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"Spice and span" new, stylish ones. It will pay you to visit our store often. We propose to make this the store in which you can best and most economically get your needs supplied.

It is pleasant indeed to see so many of the faces of our old customers at our new store.

We believe that we are better prepared to serve you to our liking than ever before and we earnestly and cordially invite the ladies of Paducah and vicinity to come to see us often in our new quarters and to keep in touch with the new goods as they arrive.

Our advertising space is much too small to give you any adequate conception of the many good things we have provided for our customers.

Dress Goods.

Five pieces all wool novelty chevrons, full 36 inches wide, ought to bring 35c a yard, our price 23c.

Five pieces silk and wool mixtures, elegant in appearance and inexpensive at our price; would be cheap at 50c, our price 39c.

Woolenettes in the 15c quality for 11c a yard.

The best test we know of to judge of a dry goods store is its black dress goods stock. We shall not attempt a description of the variety and beauty of our stock. Plain weaves, serges, novelties and very chic styles are now ready for inspection.

Dress Lining.

The new silk and mohair novelties at prices to please you.

Cream Veneer lace with yoking to match, so rich over silk in giving tone and character to the dress.

Fancy silk colored chiffons and mousseline de soie and braids and bead trimming to match all of the newest shades of the season.

Kid Gloves.

With skillfully contrived automatic fastenings, you will appreciate them. We have the exclusive agency—sold only here. Very handsome and stylish. Parisian, or the price. Ox blood, the new laces and plain blacks all richly embroidered. We price them for a dollar—ought to be \$1.2